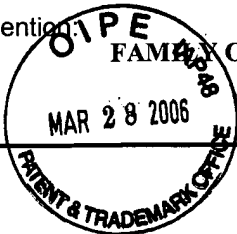

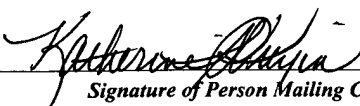


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Applicant(s): Jan Gerben Wijnstra						
Application No. 09/801,621	Filing Date March 8, 2001	Examiner Haresh N. Patel	Customer No. 23389	Group Art Unit 2154	Confirmation No. 8300	
Invention:  FAMILY OF COMPLEX SYSTEMS WITH SHARED FAMILY SOFTWARE ARCHITECTURE						
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

The Applicants have filed this Amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in reply to the outstanding Official Action dated December 28, 2005, and the Applicants believe the Amendment to be fully responsive to the Official Action for reasons set forth below.


Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.

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